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## ABSTRACT

This document is a partial listing of studies on postsecondary education that have been completed or are under way in the member states of the Southern Regional Education Board (SREB). Higher education agencies or coordinating boards in the states supplied the information, which may help other states that are conducting or considering similar research. The name of the study commission of agency is included in parentheses, as is the data the study was completed or is scheduled to be completed. Study titles are grouped into these categories: (1) academic programs; (2) access; (3) admissions, retention, and graduation; (4) articulation and student transfer; (5) enrollment; (6) facilities and equipment; (7) finance, budget, and expenditures; (8) goals and accountability; (9) higher education and business/economy; (10) master plans and statewide reports; (11) personnel, salaries, and compensation; (12) preparation for college and school/college partnerships; (13) remediation and developmental studies; (14) statistical reports and fact books; (15) student financial aid; (16) teacher education and preparation; (17) technology and distance learning; (18) tuition and fees; and (19) vocational/technical and adult education. A list of higher education agencies is included. (SLD)

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The Southern Regional Education Board collects this information yearly, so this list reflects only recent publications. Previous listings are on the SREB Web site ([www.sreb.org](http://www.sreb.org)).

SREB does not have copies of these reports and studies. *Requests for copies should be directed to the agency listed.*

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(Arkansas Department of Higher Education, updated quarterly)

A Review of Music and the Fine Arts Programs in the Florida Community College System  
(Florida Department of Education, Division of Community Colleges, 2004)

- \* A Review of Program Review Procedures at Florida's Community Colleges  
(Florida Department of Education, Division of Community Colleges, 2003)
- \* A Review of the Natural Sciences in the Florida Community College System  
(Florida Department of Education, Division of Community Colleges, 2003)

- \* Curriculum Inventory Reports  
(University System of Georgia, Office of Strategic Research and Analysis)
- \* University System of Georgia Study Abroad Catalog, 2002-2003  
(University System of Georgia, Office of International Education, September 2002)

- \* Academic Program Productivity Review  
(Kentucky Council on Postsecondary Education, 2002)

Low-Productivity Degree Program Report 2002  
(Maryland Higher Education Commission, October 2002)

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(Mississippi Institutions of Higher Learning, February 2003)

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- \* UNC Academic Program Inventory (University of North Carolina, Office of the President, April 2004)
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(Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education, June 2003)

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(Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education, April 2002)

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Report on UNC Foreign Language Access  
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(Tennessee Higher Education Commission, March 2003)
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(State Council of Higher Education for Virginia, August 2002)
- \* Diversity Report (West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission, January 2003)
- \* Available on the Internet

## Admissions, retention and graduation

- \* 2001-2002 Degrees and Certificates Awarded by Arkansas Higher Education Institutions  
(Arkansas Department of Higher Education, May 2003)
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(Arkansas Department of Higher Education, May 2004)
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(Florida Department of Education, Division of Accountability, Research and Measurement, 2003)
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(Florida Department of Education, Division of Accountability, Research and Measurement, 2003)
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(Florida Department of Education, Division of Accountability, Research and Measurement, 2003)
- \* Comparison of Post-Graduation Outcomes for Bachelor's Degree Recipients With/Without Bright Futures  
(Florida Department of Education, Division of Accountability, Research and Measurement, 2003)
- \* Top Firms Hiring Public University Bachelor's Degree Recipients  
(Florida Department of Education, Division of Accountability, Research and Measurement, 2003)
- \* Bachelor's Degree Graduation Rate Reports  
(University System of Georgia, Office of Strategic Research and Analysis)
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Doctorate Degrees Awarded in the University System of Georgia and the Nation  
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(University System of Georgia, Office of Strategic Research and Analysis)
- \* 2002 Minority Achievement Report (Maryland Higher Education Commission, August 2002)
- \* Retention and Graduation Rates at Maryland Four-Year Public Institutions  
(Maryland Higher Education Commission, May 2002)
- \* Retention, Graduation and Transfer Rates at Maryland Community Colleges  
(Maryland Higher Education Commission, April 2002)
- \* Statewide Responses to Survey of 2001 Bachelor's Degree Recipients — Maryland Public Colleges and Universities (Maryland Higher Education Commission, December 2002)  
Trends in Degrees and Certificates Awarded by Race and Gender — Maryland Higher Education Institutions (Maryland Higher Education Commission, March 2002)
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(University of North Carolina, Office of the President, January 2004)
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(West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission, May 2002)
- \* Graduation Report, 2001 (West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission, October 2002)
- \* Retention and Earnings of 1999-2000 Graduates in 2001  
(West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission, January 2003)
- \* Retention and Transfer Report Fall 2001 to Fall 2002  
(West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission, May 2002)
- \* Retention, Transfer and Graduation of Fall 1996 First-Time Freshmen: Fall 1996 to Fall 2002  
(West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission, April 2003)
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(West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission, May 2002)

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- A Review of Articulation and Acceleration Practices in the Florida Community College System  
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- \* Postsecondary Progression of 1993-94 Florida Public High School Graduates: 2002 Update  
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(Maryland Higher Education Commission, September 2002)
- \* UNC Freshman Performance (University of North Carolina, Office of the President, May 2003)
- \* UNC Transfer Student Performance  
(University of North Carolina, Office of the President, February 2004)
- \* Headcount, Semester Hours and GPA (Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education, February 2004)
- \* Student Transfer at Tennessee Public Institutions (Tennessee Higher Education Commission, May 2003)
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- \* Students' Semester Credit Hours (SSCH) and Full-Time Equivalency Annual Report, 2002-2003  
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Selected Information on Enrollment: A 10-Year Comparison

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(State Council of Higher Education for Virginia, Summer 2002)

\* West Virginia Business Report Card for Fiscal Year 2001-2002  
(West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission, January 2003)

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Summary of Institutional Strategic Plans (State Council of Higher Education for Virginia, Fall 2003)
- \* Systemwide Strategic Plan for Virginia Higher Education  
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(Florida Department of Education, Division of Accountability, Research and Measurement, 2003)
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- \* Navigating the Challenges of Instructional Leadership  
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- \* Virginia Nursing Faculty Salaries (State Council of Higher Education for Virginia, November 2002)
- \* Faculty and Staff Characteristics, Fall 2001  
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- \* The Need for P-16 Education in Tennessee (Tennessee Higher Education Commission, July 2003)
- \* Performance of High School Students Enrolled in Public Colleges and Universities, Fall 2001 (West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission, February 2003)
- \* West Virginia College-Going Rate by County and High School, 2002 (West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission, April 2003)

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- Summary of Students Not Meeting Regular Admission Criteria  
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- \* Evaluation Report: Effectiveness of the North Carolina State Improvement Project in Improving the Reading Performance of Students With Disabilities (University of North Carolina, Office of the President, January 2003, update in November 2004)
  - \* Remedial Instruction in UNC Institutions, 2002-2003 (University of North Carolina, Office of the President, October 2003)
  - \* Annual Student Remediation Report (Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education, February 2004)
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  - \* An Analysis of Remedial and Developmental Education (Tennessee Higher Education Commission, May 2003)
  - \* Remediation in Virginia Higher Education — An Issue Brief (State Council of Higher Education for Virginia, December 2002)
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